# ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION Petition for Certificate of Authority to Operate TELE-CONNECT, INC. (Applicant)

## Response to Question 8 Articles of Incorporation Certificate of Authority to Transact Business in Illinois

Attached are copies of Articles of Incorporation of Tele-Connect, Inc.

Also attached is the filed and approved Application for Authority to Transact Business in Illinois from the Illinois Secretary of State.

#### STATE OF KANSAS

OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE **BILL GRAVES** 



#### To all to whom these presents shall come, Greetings:

I, Bill Graves, Secretary of State of the State of Kansas, do hereby certify that the attached is a true and correct copy of an original on file and of record in this office.

STATE OF KANSAS, NEOSHO COUNTY, S

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REGISTER OF DEEDS



In testimony whereof:

I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed my official seal. Done at the City of Topeka on the date below: PEC



**BILL GRAVES** 

SECRETARY OF STATE

BY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE

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## AMENDMENT ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF TELE-CONNECT, INC.

TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

I, the undersigned, President and Director of Tele-Connect, Inc., amend the following Articles of Incorporation of Tele-Connect, Inc. which were duly adopted in accordance with K.S.A. 17-6602:

#### ARTICLE II

Article II is amended in its entirety as follows:

The location of its registered office in Kansas is 1421 West Seventh Street, Chanute, Neosho County, 66720, and the registered agent in charge thereof at such address is Teri Tharp.

#### ARTICLE IV

Article IV, first paragraph, first sentence, typographical error is corrected as follows:

The total number of shares of this Corporation shall be 500,000 shares of common stock, class A par value of \$0.00.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name this de March, 1995.

Teri Tharp

STATE OF KANSAS COUNTY OF NEOSHO

Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for Neosho County, Kansas, the above named Teri Tharp who is personally known to me to be the same person who executed the foregoing instrument of writing, and duly acknowledged the execution of the same.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal, this 2017 day of March, 1995.

NOTARY PUBLIC - State of Kansas

DONALD E. SPURRIER

My Appl. Exp. 2-1-41.

Notary Public

My appointment or commission expires:

#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

#### TELE-CONNECT, INC.

TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

I, the undersigned, incorporator, hereby do associate myself to form and establish a corporation FOR PROFIT under the laws of the State of Kansas.

#### ARTICLE I

The Name of the Corporation is TELE-CONNECT, INC.

#### ARTICLE II

The location of its registered office in Kansas is 15 North Highland, Chanute, Neosho County, 66720, and the registered agent in charge thereof at such address is Teri L. Tharp.

#### ARTICLE III

This Corporation is organized FOR PROFIT and the nature of its business or purposes to be conducted or promoted is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which corporations may be organized under the Kansas General Corporate Code and as authorized in the Bylaws of the Corporation.

#### ARTICLE IV

The total number of shares of this Corporation shall be 500,00 shares of common stock, class A par value of \$0.00. At the time of incorporation, there are no qualifications, limitations or restrictions thereof in respect to any class of shares.

Statement of Grant of Authority to be given to the Board of Directors is as follows:

The Board of Directors are hereby authorized to do everything necessary and proper for the accomplishment of the objectives herein enumerated or necessary or incidental to the profit and benefit of the corporation and in general to carry on any lawful business necessary to the attainment of the purposes of this corporation, whether such business is similar in nature to the objects and powers hereinabove set forth or otherwise.

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#### ARTICLE V

The name and mailing address of the INCORPORATOR is as follows:

Teri L. Tharp

902 S. Tennessee Chanute, KS 66720

#### ARTICLE VI

The name and mailing address of the person, who is to serve as a director until the first annual meeting of the stockholders or until a successor is elected and qualified is as follows:

Teri L. Tharp

902 S. Tennessee Chanute, KS 66720

#### ARTICLE VII

The term of which this Corporation is to exist is perpetual.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name this 29th day of November, 1989.

STATE OF KANSAS,

SS.

COUNTY OF NEOSHO

Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for Neosho County, Kansas, the above named Teri L. Tharp who is personally known to me to be the same person who executed the forgoing instrument of writing, and duly acknowledged the execution of the same.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal, this 2921 day of 7 , 19 89



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My appointment or commission expires Quaust 13,1993

### FORM BCA 13.15 (rev. Dec. 2003) APPLICATION FOR AUTHORITY TO FILED TRANSACT BUSINESS IN ILLINOIS

**Business Corporation Act** 

C-171.15

MAY 3 1 2005

Jesse White, Secretary of State Department of Business Services Springfield, IL 62756 Telephone (217) 782-1834 www.cyberdriveillinois.com

JESSE WHITE SECRETARY OF STATE

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Filin	ng Fee \$ 175.00 Franchise Tax \$ Pen	alty/Interest \$	_ Total \$	Approved:			
	Submit in duplicate — Type or Print clea	-					
1.	(a) CORPORATE NAME: Tele-Connect, In	c					
	(Complete item 1 (b) only if the corporate name is not	available in this state.)					
	(b) ASSUMED CORPORATE NAME:	hereby agrees NOT to use is attached.)	its corporate name in	 the			
2.	State or Country Date of of Incorporation Kansas; Incorporation	on 12/4/89 ;	Period of Duration <u>Perpetu</u>	al			
3.	(a) Address of the principal office, wherever located	(b) Address of prin					
	PO Box 887	None					
	Chanute, KS 66720			- Labor Fran			
4.	Name and address of the registered agent and registered office in Illinois.						
	Registered Agent: Illinois Corporation Se	rvice Company					
	Registered Agent: 1111no1s Corporation Se  First Name  Registered Office: 801 Adlai, Stevenson Dr	Middle Initial	Last name	)			
	Number	Street	Suite #	(A.P.O. Box alone is not acceptable.)			
	SpringfieldIL	67703	Sangamon				
	City	ZIP Code	County				
5.	States and countries in which it is admitted or qualified	to transact business: (Incl	ude state of incorporati	on)			
	KS - AR- AL- GA- MO- NC - SC - TN		·	•			
6.	Name and addresses of officers and directors: (If more		ditional officers, attach	list.)			
	Name No. 9 Other at	Cit.	State	ZIP			
	Name No. & Street  President Teri Tharp 902 S Tennessee	City					
	President Teri Tharp 902 S Tennessee Secretary same	Street Chanute	Kansas	66720			
	Director same						
	Director						
	Director						

8.	Authorized and issued shares:  Number of Shares  Number of Shares					
	Class	Series	Par Value	Authorized	Issued	
	Common		\$0.00	500,000	10,555	
			(If m	ore, attach list)		
9.	Paid-in Cap ("Paid-in Ca			& Paid-in Surplus and	is equal to the total of these accounts.)	
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11.	Interrogatories: (Important - this section must be completed.)  (a) Is the corporation transacting business in this state at this time?  (b) If the answer to item 11(a) is yes, state the exact date on which it commenced to transact business in Illinois:					
12.					ntion, as amended, duly authenticated, within in the corporation is incorporated.	
13.	The undersigned corporation has caused this application to be signed by a duly authorized officer, who affirms, under penalties of perjury, that the facts stated herein are true. (All signatures must be in <b>BLACK INK.</b> )					
	Dated Mag	y 24	, 2005	Tele-Co	onnect, Inc.	
	(Month & Day) (Year)  (Any Authorized Officer's Signature)  Teri Tharp - President  (Print Name and Title)		- <del>-</del>	(Exact Name of Corporation)		

The purpose or purposes for which it was organized which it proposes to pursue in the transaction of business in this

state: (If not sufficient space to cover this point, add one or more sheets of this size)

Pay Phone Provider

\* PROPERTY as used in this application shall apply to all property of the corporation, real, personal, tangible, intangible, or mixed without qualifications.

Note 1: Payment in connection with this application must be in the form of a certified check, cashier's check, Illinois attorney or CPA's check or money order made payable to the "Secretary of State". The minimum fee due upon qualification is \$175. Any additional fees will be billed and must be paid before this application can be filed.